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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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First Named Inventor: **PICCARIELLO**

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TO: **MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**
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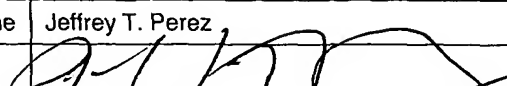


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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (original and duplicate)
2. ☒ Small Entity Status Claimed: ☐ Independent Inventor
☒ Small Business Concern
☐ Non-Profit Organization
☐ Statement Enclosed
☐ Statement Filed in Prior Application; Status Still Proper and Desired
3. ☒ Specification - Total Pages: 20 (Including Abstract)

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5. Oath or Declaration - Total Pages: 3
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- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form Submitted Herewith

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11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and References
☐ Copies of Information Disclosure Statement Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
15. ☒ Priority is Claimed as Follows:
CIP of U.S. Appl. 09/440,635 filed November 16, 1999

- ☐ Claim Benefit of the Following U.S. Provisional Application No(s).:

- ☐ If Foreign Priority is Claimed, Certified Copy of the Above Priority Document(s) is Submitted Herewith
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach Form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
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Prior application information: Examiner **S. Sharareh** Group Art Unit **1617**.

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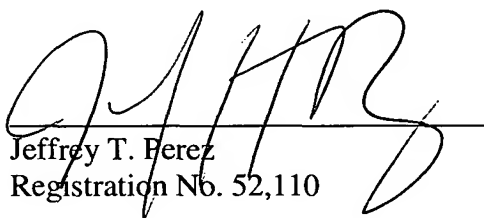
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